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In re: Siga Broadcasting Corporation (Siga)  
KAML(AM), Kennedy-Karnes City, TX  
Facility Identification No. 17322  
File No. BP-20090204ABW

Dear Mr. Arango:

This letter is in reference to the above-captioned minor change application filed by Siga to change the site, patterns, and city of license (from Kennedy-Karnes City to Mathis, Texas), and the June 9, 2009, amendment.

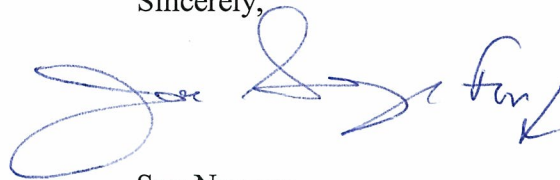
A preliminary review of the amended application reveals that:

1. The proposed directional patterns are unacceptable. Specifically, using a proposed power of 0.5 kW with a theoretical RMS of 201.60 mV/m will result in a loss resistance per tower of approximately 0.67 ohms. The nominal power and specified theoretical RMS of the proposed standard radiation pattern must result in a 1 ohm loss per tower pursuant to Section 73.150 of the Commission's rules. According to our calculations, the nighttime RMS should be reduced to approximately 200.57 mV/m to meet the one ohm loss requirement using a power level of 0.5 kW.
2. The overall height, radiator height, and electrical height given on FCC Form 301 does not match the values given on the tower sketch. FCC Form 301 shows an overall height of 77.7 meters, a radiator height of 76.2 meters, and an electrical height of 90.6 degrees, while the tower sketch shows overall 74.7 meters, radiator 73.1 meters, and electrical 87 degrees. In addition, the tower registration numbers were not provided on FCC Form 301, but we did note Siga registered two towers (12677773, 12677774) in March 2009 with different overall heights of 71.6 meters, therefore the tower registration records must also be corrected on the Wireless Telecommunication Bureau's tower registration web site <http://wireless.fcc.gov/antenna>.
3. The environmental statement is unacceptable and must be amended to verify the site has been found acceptable for use. The environmental statement "to the best of the applicant's knowledge" does not constitute an acceptable environmental statement.

4. The aerial photograph and USGS 7.5 minute topographical map exhibits were not submitted in the June 9, 2009, amendment. Please note that each time an application is amended, it should contain all exhibits that apply to the proposed facility, and therefore the amendment should include updated amended exhibits along with any original exhibits that are still applicable (such as the site photo and USGS topo map). This is required because only the most recent amendment will appear on the CDBS public access web page (previous amendments are superseded and replaced each time a new amendment is filed).

Further action on the subject application will be withheld for a period of thirty days from the date of this letter to provide an opportunity to file a curative electronic amendment correcting all problems noted above. Failure to amend or respond with a request for additional time within this time period will result in the dismissal of the application pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 73.3568.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Son Nguyen', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Son Nguyen  
Supervisory Engineer  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

cc: Bob Morrow